Client Matter No. 09761730-0003

Serial No. 09/889,870

REMARKS

Claims 1-22 are pending in the above-identified application. Claims 17-19 and 22 are

allowed. Claims 1-16, 20, and 21 were rejected. With this Amendment Claim 21 is amended to

correct the improper dependency.

Claims 1-16, 20 and 21 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-

type double patenting. A terminal disclaimer is enclosed to overcome this rejection. A credit

card authorization in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed to cover the required statutory disclaimer

fee.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant submits that the application is in condition for

allowance. Notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

SONNENSCHEIN NATH & ROSENTHAL LLP

ordan A. Sigale

Reg. No. 39,028

Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP

P.O. Box 061080

Wacker Drive Station

Sears Tower

Chicago, IL 60606-1080

Tel. 312-876-8000

12